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SUBJ: PLO OFFICIAL IN MEXICO TO OPEN INFORMATION OFFICE

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1. ON APRIL 20, MEXICO'S FOREIGN SECRETARIAT ANNOUNCED THAT MARWAN DAWUD FIKRI TANBUB HAD ARRIVED IN MEXICO TO OPEN A PLO INFORMATION OFFICE. NO DETAILS WERE GIVEN ABOUT WHEN THE OFFICE WILL OPEN OR ITS SIZE.

2. ADDRESSEES WILL RECALL PRESIDENT LUIS ECHEVERRIA COMMITTED THE GOM TO ALLOWING A PLO OFFICE HERE IN A JOINT COMMUNIQUE WHICH HE AND KING KHALID SIGNED IN JIDDA ON AUGUST 4, 1975 DURING A14-NATION TOUR INCLUDING SI NATIONS OF THE MIDEAST. AFTER A LONG HIATUS, FONSEC ALFONSO GARCIA ROBLES REAFFIRMED ON MARCH 2, 1976, THAT THE GOM INTENDED TO FULFILL ITS COMMITMENT AND ALLOW THE PLO TO OPEN A "PRESS OFFICE" HERE DESPITE THE MISGIVINGS
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VOICED BY ISRAELI FONMIN YIGAL ALLON WHO WAS VISITING

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